

## MARCH 2022 NEWS

# RARITAN VALLEY ARTS ASSOCIATION

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## Yay Spring!

Clocks have changed and the daffodils are perky, but why does it seem like Winter is not done yet?

Hope to see you Friday, April 1, for the **WARREN TOWNSHIP LIBRARY SHOW** set-up!

April 1-May 27, 2022, 42 Mountain Blvd., Warren.

Wall space and showcase available for artwork display.

Drop off will be Friday, April 1, 9am-11am.

Pick up will be Friday, May 27, 9am-11am.

Please direct all responses and questions to:

**Peggye Tombro, 732.809.1582, [ptombro@gmail.com](mailto:ptombro@gmail.com)**

## Member News

The **Garden State Watercolor Society's Members' Show** is online until April 15. Participating members are: **Linda Arnold, Judith Hummer, Diana Patton, Peggye Tombro** and **Lois Westerfield**: <https://www.gswcs.org/>

**Diana Patton's** painting, "Clownfishes' Haven," is in the **Pittsburgh Watercolor Society's** current exhibition "**small works...BIG IDEAS!**" at the Wilkins School Community Center and available to view online: <https://www.pittsburghwatercolorsociety.com/page-1735952> continued...



Diana Patton, "Sunflowers for Ukraine"

## SEND YOUR NEWS!

Are you showing in an exhibit? Will you be teaching a class or workshop? Do you want to share your Instagram account or recommend artists to follow? Include a link for more info and maybe a picture too. You can stipulate if you'd like to be mentioned in the newsletter, on Facebook, or both!

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## Member News continued...

The exhibit runs live until April 30th. You can vote for your favorite painting for the **People's Choice Award** by sending your choice to:

[exhibitions@pittsburghwatercolorsociety.com](mailto:exhibitions@pittsburghwatercolorsociety.com)

## Opportunities

**The Farmstead Arts Center's Members' Art Exhibit, "Spring Forth!"** will run from May 1-June 3. Up to two pieces may be submitted and the Gallery Agreement is due April 4:

[https://farmsteadartscenter.org/fahome/gallery\\_hours/call-for-artists/](https://farmsteadartscenter.org/fahome/gallery_hours/call-for-artists/)

## Annnnd...

There's still time to join **"Farm to Frame,"** organized by the **Somerset County Cultural and Heritage Commission**. Apply by April 8:

<https://www.co.somerset.nj.us/government/public-works/cultural-heritage/public-art-exhibits/farm-to-frame>



Diana Patton, "Clownfishes' Haven"



Farm to Frame is a juried art exhibit that will commemorate 40 years of farmland preservation. Somerset County is pleased to invite New Jersey artists to capture the beauty of the County's preserved farms. An opening reception is planned for 2023.

Online interest forms must be received by **April 8, 2022**



*The Façade of St. Gilles in Carnegie Museum of Art's Hall of Architecture. Photo: Bryan Conley*

## Links!

Museums are open, with some restrictions, but you can also see some collections online.

**Diana Patton** had a great visit to **The Hall of Architecture at the Carnegie Mellon Museum of Arts and Sciences:** <https://cmoa.org/about/hall-of-architecture/> More about the façade pictured above here: <https://cmoa.org/event/crash-course-the-façade-of-st-gilles/>

**The Met 360 Project at the Metropolitan Museum of Art:**

<https://www.metmuseum.org/art/online-features/met-360-project>

**The British Museum** has many galleries available to view online through Google Street View technology: <https://www.britishmuseum.org/collection/galleries>

**Please direct any RVAA membership inquiries to:**

**Susan Boyd** [susaneboyd@gmail.com](mailto:susaneboyd@gmail.com)

**Application available at:** <http://www.raritanvalleyarts.org/MembershipApplicationform.pdf>

**Thank you for your continued support!**